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ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION

To: Members of the staff

From: The Director of Personnel

Subject: DEPENDENCY ALLOWANCE OR BENEFIT FOR DISABLED CHILDREN*

1. On the basis of the recommendation presented by the International Civil Service Commission in its eighteenth annual report, 1/ the General Assembly, in its resolution 47/216 of 23 December 1992, approved an increase of 21 per cent in the regular children's allowance payable in respect of eligible children of staff members in the Professional and higher categories, with effect from 1 January 1993, thereby increasing the amount from its current level of $1,050 per annum to $1,270 per annum. The purpose of the present administrative instruction is to amend administrative instruction ST/AI/366 of 28 September 1990 on the dependency allowance or benefit for disabled children in order to extend the increase in the amount of regular children's allowance to the allowance payable in respect of disabled children of staff members in the Professional and higher categories and in the Field Service category.

2. Accordingly, paragraph 3 of ST/AI/366 is amended as follows:

"3. In the case of staff members in the Professional and higher categories and in the Field Service category, the regular dependency allowance or benefit for a dependent child is:

"(a) A dependency allowance of $1,270 per year; or

"(b) For the first dependent child where there is no dependent spouse, the dependency rate of salary and post adjustment, the regular dependency benefit thus being the difference between salary and post adjustment at the single and dependency rates.

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"In those cases where a dependent child is disabled, the staff member will receive, in addition to the appropriate allowance or benefit payable under (a) or (b) above, the amount of $1,270 per year for the child. Accordingly, those staff members entitled to the dependency allowance indicated in (a) above in respect of a child, will receive a total amount of $2,540 per year if such child is disabled. Those staff members entitled to the dependency benefit indicated under (b) above in respect of a first child will receive, in addition to the dependency rate of salary and post adjustment, the amount of $1,270 per year if such child is disabled."

3. The above revised amounts of the dependency allowance for disabled children shall be applicable as of 1 January 1993.

Notes

1/ Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-seventh Session, Supplement No. 30 (A/47/30), para. 191.